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"BILLY" SUNDAY TALKS

He Used To Be a Great Base Ball Player,

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A Few Remarks Delivered to Railway Men at Chicago—Rev. Hugh O. Pentecost Delivers a Remarkable Sermon at Chickerin Hall, New York — Rev. Bridgeman Scored by Minister Potter—Sermon Preached by Dr. Newton.

CHICAGO, June 1.—William A., better known as "Billy" Sunday, the ex base ball player, spoke Sunday afternoon at the reading-rooms for the Northwestern railroad men, 117 West Kinzie street. The reading-room stands in the midst of a net-



WILLIAM SUNDAY.
work of railway tracks. Its neighbors are tough bar-room saloons and tougher resorts and the shrills of locomotives and shrill whistles of passing boats pour in through the open windows. Sacred songs were sung and prayers were offered for all railroad men, from the president of the board of directors down to the track reporters.

Most Lives Are Failures.
Mr. Sunday's sermon was a practical talk on the contest resulting from a Christian life and the unrest accompanying the life of sin, even though wealth might be in his pocket. He went round his brow his choldest laurels. Some of his sentences were: "You can step on the promises of God with both feet and be secure as you're treading the deck of a Cunarder"; "When any one knocks on your heart and asks, 'Who lives here?' you'd better speak; 'I live here.' Most lives are failures. A life with God in it alone is worthy the name of success. A pure life with God brings serenity, a pleasant present, and a glorious future. No other method of living is worthy the name of life. Happiness is with God, misery with sin."

RIVAL TO BOB INGERSOLL.

Strong Remarks on Religion Made by Rev. Hugh O. Pentecost.

NEW YORK, June 1.—The announcement that Hugh O. Pentecost would speak Sunday night on the subject, "A Useless God," drew an audience to Chickerin Hall. The people were more or less startled by such utterances as these: "The longer God lives the more useless he becomes. Once upon a time God could take nothing and make a world out of it; he can't do it now. Once upon a time his people did not have to wage war on the enemy's walls and blow up rams' horns and the walls would accommodate fully fall down. They can't do that now.

Have to Work for What They Get.
Now I put it to you squarely, whether you think it fair for these modern clergymen to cause God to cease being the active and useful person he once was. Ask one of these clergymen if it is of any use praying for bread, he will say: 'Not unless you work for it.' When these clergymen speak of God they don't mean anything in particular, but that mysterious something which they say keeps things going. They call it God, because they don't know exactly what they do mean. But whatever it is, it is useless. My object is not to blasphe me, but to call your attention to the fact that the leading clergymen of the day are teaching you to worship a God who can do nothing for you."

WHERE IS THE FLOCK?

The Sermon Delivered by Rev. Dr. Daniel Potter in New York City.

NEW YORK, June 1.—Rev. Dr. Daniel C. Potter devoted his sermon in the Baptist tabernacle Sunday morning to Rev. C. D. W. Bridgeman, of the Madison Avenue Baptist church, who went over to the Episcopal church last week. Dr. Potter's text was from Jeremiah xlii, 20: "Where is the flock that was given thee, thy beautiful flock?" The preacher followed his text with this improvised answer which he put in Dr. Bridgeman's mouth: "I left it, Lord, and went where I could gratify my irreligious tendencies and wear pretty gowns.

To Catch the Public Eye.
He said his sermon was to show his own people that there was liberty of discussion in the Baptist church and hence no need of getting out of it because of varying opinions. He said: "Nearly all modern heretics have sinned more in the manner and mode of their statements than in doctrine. This they do for temporary effect, to catch the public eye. It is a professional trick to give the appearance of heresy to one's statement. As a matter of fact, in nearly every instance such persons as these could escape censure by sacrificing simply their notoriety." The remainder of his sermon was devoted to a sound scoring of Dr. Bridgeman.

DR. NEWTON'S SERMON.

A Vigorous Outburst Upon an Orthodox Theory.

NEW YORK, June 1.—All Soul's Protestant Episcopal church was crowded to its doors at Sunday morning's service. Dr. R. Heber Newton's sermon was a vigorous onslaught upon the orthodox theory that creeds must be interpreted according to their literal phrasology. Among other things Dr. Newton said: "A creed is to be read as understanding its true authority. No creed rests upon the authority of Christ himself. Creeds do not represent the authority of the councils which issued them. But this is not all that might be desired."

The Truth of the Creeds.

A universal council is not a synonym for the Almighty. Creeds are not transcripts of some heavenly manuscript set up from copy brought down by little angels. The

truth of the creed rests not on the authority of the body setting it forth, but on its own intrinsic truthfulness, its interpretation of the Christian consciousness. Its authority will last so long, and only so long, as it continues thus to express the Christian consciousness and to interpret satisfactorily the problems of nature and man in the light of the spirit of Jesus Christ."

A Young Lady's Peril.
PITTSBURG, June 1.—Pretty Mollie Hamilton attended a Decoration Day picnic at McKee's Rocks and missed the 10 o'clock train for Pittsburgh. Two men volunteered to row her across the Ohio to enable her to catch a Fort Wayne train. In the middle of the river they decided to take the girl to Brunot's island, a lonely, isolated place. They refused to land her, and the frightened girl leaped into the river. The ruffians dragged her back and were proceeding to the island when intercepted by the ferryman, who heard Mollie's screams, and took the unconscious girl from the men, who were later arrested and are now in jail.

Called the Preacher a Star.
HOUSTON, Tex., June 1.—During the progress of the San Jose meeting at the Tabernacle Sunday, Rev. Dr. Stuart was preaching to 10,000 people. He said he was going to talk plainly, regardless of stirs thrown at him by a scurrilous afternoon sheet edited by a man of questionable character, E. H. Bailey, brother of W. H. Bailey, editor of The Herald. He pointed to his feet and in a loud voice said: "You refer to my brother and what you say is true." A wild uproar followed this remark, and it was with difficulty that the clergymen could restrain the vast assembly.

A Pastor of Resources.
ANSONIA, Conn., June 1.—Rev. Pitblado is just been installed as pastor of the Methodist church and has inaugurated the custom of having female ushers, which has the effect of bringing out a large attendance of young men. The pastor has spent a year in getting a clock for the church by a novel scheme. For several Sundays he has preached extraordinarily long sermons, and when asked by some of the restless congregation why he talked so long he apologized and said that where he was stationed before he had a clock to look at occasionally.

Drowned While Fording a Stream.
PLATTSBURG, Mo., June 1.—Sunday morning A. E. Meninger, one of the leading citizens of this county, with his wife and daughter drove out from the city to spend the day with friends in the country. Heavy rains fell during the day. In the evening horses and carriages were found in the creek bottom, two having a vigorous search of several hours failed to locate any evidence of any of the parties and it is certain that all three are drowned, as the water is twenty feet and a strong current is running. A large searching party is hunting for bodies, but so far without success.

Nearby Escape from Cremation.
NAKELVILLE, Tenn., June 1.—Fire broke out in the Buckingham theatre, on College street, near Public square, this city, at midnight last night. A number of actresses who were sleeping in the building had narrow escapes. Three of them and a child were rescued from the comic of the fourth story by firemen. Only one person was injured—a negro, who jumped from the third story and broke his leg.

Located at Seattle.
ST. LOUIS, June 1.—Page McPherson, the absconding St. Louis broker who represented McCormick & Co., of Chicago, in St. Louis, has been located in Seattle. A St. Louis man ran against him two days ago and promptly notified his family here. A warrant has been issued against McPherson by the St. Louis mining exchange, of which he was treasurer, but it is probable that the prosecution will not be pushed.

Banished to Siberia.
BERLIN, June 1.—The Kreuz Zeitung publishes an account of a Protestant pastor in Lithuania named Schmidt who has been sentenced to banishment to Siberia. His offense is alleged to have been the proselytizing of a member of the orthodox Greek church. The same paper also mentions the case of Pastor Lorchelmann in Estonia who was condemned to fourteen months' imprisonment for a similar offense.

Has Not Much Hope.
ZANEVILLE, Ohio, June 1.—James E. Boyd, the unqualified governor-elect of Nebraska, who is here attending his father's funeral, stated to old friends that he was little better off than a dog. The superintendant relieving him of his disability and putting him in the gubernatorial chair by reversing the decision of the election committee that he had not been elected.

Fatal Into Boiling Water.
TINN, O., June 1.—Will Baumgardner, aged 19, an employee of the American Pump works, lay down to sleep on a pile of straw Saturday night preparatory to going to work at midnight. When wakened he stumbled into a vat of boiling water and was terribly scalded from the neck downward, the flesh falling from the bones in shreds. He will die.

Put a Bullet Into Her Nephew.
ALBANY, N. Y., June 1.—While Mrs. Ellen Clancy, a reputable woman, was being ejected from the boarding house of Mrs. Mary O'Hara by her nephew, James Tingle, she shot him at close range. The ball, however, being a 22-caliber, inflicted a serious wound above the heart which will probably not prove fatal. Mrs. Clancy was arrested.

The Latest Encyclical.
LONDON, June 1.—The official English translation of the pope's encyclical on social questions has been issued by Cardinal Manning. The Times says of the document: "It is doubtful whether the questions are handled with success. Yet it abounds in remarks that deserve attention, and it breathes throughout a spirit of Christian charity."

Blaine Goes to Bar Harbor.
NEW YORK, June 1.—Secretary Blaine left for Bar Harbor by the 10 o'clock train Monday morning, where his cottage has been made ready for him. Mrs. Blaine and Mrs. Damrosch accompany him. The Damrosch residence has been closed for the summer.

Jackson Challenges Corbett.
SAN FRANCISCO, June 1.—Peter Jackson has issued a challenge to Jim Corbett offering to fight him in the California club, or any fair club, New Orleans barred, for a purse of \$10,000. Jackson will put up a forfeit as a guarantee of his good faith.

The First Canadian Peer.
MONTREAL, June 1.—Sir George Stephen has been created a peer by her majesty. This is the first instance of a peerage hav-

DEATH OF PRENTICE MULFORD.

The Noted Correspondent Dies While Yachting in Sheephead Bay.

NEW YORK, June 1.—Prentice Mulford—author, editor, correspondent, and yachtsman—is dead. Saturday a party of yachtsmen in Sheephead bay saw a small sailboat riding at anchor. As their yacht swept by they saw

lying motionless upon the bottom of the boat a stout built man of about 50. They hailed him, but received no response. They saw painted upon the stern of the boat the name White Cross. An examination showed that the occupants of the boat were Prentice Mulford and that he was dead.

His Best Known Works.

PRENTICE MULFORD.

Bad Deeds Committed by Unrighteous People.

LOUISIANA NEGRO'S AWFUL FATE.

HIS EXECUTIONERS ELIDE THEIR TIME AND "GET THERE" AT LAST—A PHENOMENON OF VICE DEVELOPED IN A 16-YEAR-OLD GIRL.

Confessed Double Wife-Murder—Two Men Who Failed as Vigilantes Because Joyner Wasn Hand with a Gun—Identification That Did Not Identify.

NEW ORLEANS, June 1.—The fact of the lynching of a negro—Tump Hampton—in Claiborne parish was reported some time ago, but not until Saturday were the exact facts received by Governor Nicholls. The information from the penitentiary officials is that last year Hampton, who was a resident of Claiborne parish, was suspected by his white neighbors of complicity in a hog-stealing case, and that they went in a body one night to his house for the purpose of correcting or lynching him. He was warned off from his house, and on their persisting in the attack he shot and killed one of the members of the party.

The Lynchers Twice Buffeted.

This dispersed the crowd for the night, but the next day Hampton was arrested for the killing. An attempt was made to enter the jail and lynch him, but the plans of the mob were thwarted by the prompt action of the sheriff. Hampton got a change of venue and stood trial for the killing, and was immediately rearrested for hog-stealing, and fearing that he would be lynched if he remained in jail pending trial to one year, and the sheriff delivered him at the penitentiary at once and the lynchers were again prevented from doing any violence.

The crowd was determined to avenge the killing of their friend, and waited patiently until Hampton had served out his sentence, when they had him arrested on an affidavit sworn out before a justice of the peace on the day of his discharge. Upon his arrival in Claiborne he was met by an armed mob who took him from the constable and burned him to death. The next day nothing could be found of Hampton except a heap of ashes and a pair of burnt hand-cuffs.

PRETTY, BUT VERY WICKED.

A 16-Year-Old Iowa Girl Who Seems To Be a Terror.

CARROLL, Ia., June 1.—Many crimes are charged to a pretty 16-year-old girl who is locked up in the county jail. She calls herself Katie Faulkner, but says she is concealing her real name in order to shield relatives from disgrace. She says she was left an orphan when only 1 year old, and went to live with an uncle. Her great passion was for money, and seeing a circular advertising counterfeit money, she answered it, and placed quite an order.

Bobbed an Uncle of Sixty Dollars.

When it came it was sent by express with \$3 charges, and not having the money to take it out of the office she ran away and went to another uncle, where she stole \$60. After securing the money she went to Council Bluffs and put up at the best hotel in the city. In a short time she left without paying her board bill, and on arriving at Panama she robbed a store, secured a suit of men's clothes, and in this disguise started for Denver, whence she was arrested and while in custody expressed regret that he had not killed both his victims.

A Case of Total Depravity.

She says that she tried to keep from stealing, but she could not resist the temptation. She says she failed to secure the money and jewelry from a married couple whose house she entered one night, because they would not lie still enough, but if she had had a revolver they would have lain still long enough for her. On being placed in jail she was searched, and a small bottle of laudanum was found sewed in her dress. When asked what she was going to do with it she said she was going to live on it, and seeing a circular advertising counterfeit money, she answered it, and placed quite an order.

Confessed to Two Murders.

An Old Man Says He Made Away with Two Wives.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., June 1.—A man giving the name or Seward called on Justice of the Peace W. A. Henry Friday. Eleven years ago, he said, he lived in Ohio with his wife and four children. His wife took to drink, and he left her. He went to Anoka, Minn. His wife followed. Seward became desperate, and determined to put an end to her. He purchased some arsenic and put it in a bottle containing whisky, which his wife had procured. She drank some of the whisky and died shortly after. His death attracted but little attention, and no suspicion attached to him.

Soon Tired of Wife No. 2.

He married again. His second nuptial venture was worse than the first. He determined to get rid of wife No. 3, and accordingly scolded her with the bad clothes. Considerable suspicion attached to the second murderer for Seward. The coroner of Wayne investigated, but failed to procure evidence strong enough to fasten the guilt on Seward. He then came to California and settled near Sutterville, where he lived up to the present time. He was glad he had been at last unburdened himself, and wanted to be locked up for his crimes.

Got a Rouse Unasked.

PITTSBURG, June 1.—All the passenger conductors and brakemen of the Pittsburgh division of the Pennsylvania railway have received an advance of 40 cents a day. This was unsolicited by the men, and would be received with great enthusiasm were it not for the fact that with the advance comes additional work that more than makes up for it. The men will object.

Voted Against Dr. Brooks.

THOMASTON, Me., June 1.—The standing committee of Maine met at Portland Saturday and voted unanimously against the confirmation of the Rev. Phillips Brooks as bishop of Massachusetts. The principal reason assigned was that he is not sound in his theology.

Fell Between the Cars.

ST. LOUIS, June 1.—Henry Meyer, a 15-year-old boy, living at 2547 Montgomery street, while climbing from a grip car to a trailer on the "Citizen's" railway, fell between the cars and was run over and instantly killed.

Joyner Appeared on the Scene.

FAIRMONT, La., June 1.—S. L. Joyner appeared on the scene with a shotgun and riddled them with bird shot with the above result. The sheriff has gone to arrest Joyner.

Shot and Killed a Soiled Dove.

ST. LOUIS, June 1.—Saturday evening William S. Lay, a waiter in the Famous restaurant, shot and almost instantly killed Kittle Baucom, aged 20 years, an in-

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THE BISHOP'S VISIT.

IMPRESSIVE SERVICES AT ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH.

Immense Congregation—Father Burns Celebrates High Mass—Fine Music Prepared for the Day—The Bishop's Address—A Large Class Confirmed—Eight Girls Persons—A Powerful Sermon by Father Burns at Night.

All the services at St. Patrick's church yesterday were largely attended and unusually impressive. The church was crowded at every service. Even the lobby was filled to overflowing, and many stood on the steps outside. The music was unusually fine, and much of it was prepared especially for the day. The choir of the church is now better than it has ever been. It includes a number of good voices all well-trained. The members of the choir are: J. Sauermeier, leader; Martin O'Hearn, George Peake, Professor Nees, T. F. Muleady, Mrs. W. Moore, Misses Sallie Holland, Stacia Steele, Marie McDermott, Celia Mulligan, Kate Leahy, Annie Brown, Mary O'Hearn; organist, Mother Borromeo. The singing of Mrs. W. E. Moore, Misses Annie Brown and Sallie Holland, and Professor Nees, and the playing of Mother Borromeo deserves especial mention.

The first mass was said at 7, when Bishop Ryan was the celebrant. Mass was celebrated at 8 by Father Mackin.

The most impressive service of the day was the solemn high mass said at 9:30. The church was crowded. Scarcely space for a person to stand was left unoccupied. The presence of the bishop, for the purpose of confirming one of the largest classes in the history of the church, made the exercises more solemn. The class assembled at the convent and marched to the parochial residence. There it was headed by Bishop Ryan, Father Mackin, Father Lammer, Father Burns of Ivesdale, Father Maguire and Father Foerster, and the acolytes, and in the vestments of their office. The procession entered the church by the front door. As it came in the organ and choir pealed out the grand notes of "Ecce Sacra Hostia Magnus."

Father Burns of Ivesdale, celebrated the solemn high mass, assisted by Father Foerster as deacon and Father Maguire as sub-deacon. Father Lammer was master of ceremonies. The choir sang magnificently. Farmers Mass in B flat. At the offertory, "Lauda Sion," by Lambeth, and for the benediction "Tantum Ergo" were sung.

At the conclusion of the mass the bishop examined the children who were to be confirmed in the catechism. He asked each child a question, and in all the large number only one or two failed to answer promptly and correctly. It was evident that the instruction of the children had been thorough and careful. The bishop during the questioning made many comments on the text that were calculated to make the words more clear and more impressive to the minds of the class. He frequently bestowed a kindly word or smile on some child more timid than the others, or more prompt and exact in answering, that won for him not only the love of the children, but the fuller admiration and respect of the larger people in the congregation. Bishop Ryan is well liked all over this diocese, and stands at the head of the clergy in the west as one of the best scholars and ablest theologians of the country. It was an interesting service and instructive to many besides those in the class, of whom there were 112, 104 children and 6 adults.

After examining each one separately, the bishop said a few words to the class as a whole, explaining the catechism, and the reason for studying it. In this connection he said they should study it to understand their religion fully, and to be able to explain that religion to others, to tell just what the Catholics believe, and why they believe it.

The bishop then made a short address to the class, beginning with a text from the words of David.

How much reason have you to thank God with Holy David. What an abundance of favor and grace has he not shown you! How has he not cared for and blessed you! He has spread before you a great feast of good things that will last through your life and make it better and purer. You have been to the table of the Lord to partake of the bread of everlasting life. Now after long preparation you are to receive the sacrament of confirmation. In confirmation the Holy Ghost comes to you to arm you for the battle of life. You, my dear children, are about to enter upon a long and hard conflict, where you will meet many enemies—in, wickedness, troubles of all kinds. In confirmation the Holy Ghost comes to strengthen you for this conflict, to go with you through life, and give you counsel, to give you wisdom, understanding, knowledge, fortitude and purity. Faithful to the Holy Ghost in confirmation will enable you to fight out your life bravely and at the end to say with St. Paul, "I have fought a good fight, I have kept the faith: henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, shall give me at that day, not to me only, but to all that endure to the end."

You will be faithful to the Holy Ghost by remembering the lessons you have learned in preparation for confirmation; remember the morning and evening prayer; be sure to mass on Sunday. If you are not found in sin, even if it is a venial sin, do not get out; do not tarry, turn from sin, and the Holy Ghost will help you to escape from it. The Holy Ghost does not abide with one that stays in sin, or harbors sin in his heart.

Every day of your life you will be able to bring forth fruits to the Holy Ghost. All the beauty of this brightest season of the year does not begin to compare with the beauty of the fruits of a soul in which the Holy Ghost abides, and of a life which is guided by the teachings of the Holy Ghost.

These traits are mildness, goodness, charity, love.

Not only your father and mothers are praying for you, but up in heaven your guardian angels, your patron saints, the patron saint of this church, and our Holy Mother, are praying and interceding for you, that you may be good Christians and good Catholics, not Catholics in name merely, but in fact, walking in the letter and the spirit of the teachings of the church.

There is no telling what an amount of good one true Catholic may do in the world. No one can tell; it can never be known till the last day, when all shall stand before God. Therefore strive to open your hearts, and receive the Holy Ghost, that it may guide you and teach you, not keep you holy in the name of God.

At the conclusion of the bishop's address, which was short, plain, and easily within the comprehension of his smallest listeners, he administered the sacrament of confirmation, pronouncing the name of each child separately and blessing it. In this he was assisted by Father Mackin, who gave him the mace of children, and by Father Lammer and Father Maguire. James Milligan acted as sponsor for the boys and Mrs. James Milligan acted as sponsor for the girls. The music of Millard's "Veni Creator," admirably rendered, accompanied the service. After the confirmation the Bishop gave his benediction to the children and the congregation, and the impressive service was finished.

AT NIGHT

The church was filled again. Vespers were sung by Father Lammer, assisted by Father Rentsz, from Ivesdale, and Father Maguire and Father Foerster. The music was especially fine and beautiful. It was "Ecce Panis," a duet by Mrs. Moore and Miss Brown and "Magnificat" by Peters. Father Burns preached the sermon, which was plain, practical, very forcible, sensible, and calculated to make men and women live better and more useful lives. The sermon was most highly spoken of by every one in the large audience as it left the church at the close.

The text was "The spirit of the Lord hath filled the whole world, and that which containeth all things hath knowledge of his voice." The words come from the Holy One which filleth all space. The text does not say the Holy Spirit is confined to any particular place, that it is here, or there, but that it filleth all space. After a few words to logically demonstrate the truth of that statement, the father said he was not going to give a dogmatic sermon on the existence of the Holy Spirit, but would show that it mingles with us in our priests of God and say to them, go out and pray for money to build churches and schools, we want none of them. Shall we drag down this sign east out all it stands for, and go forward confident in our own strength? Will you talk that way to God? Will you dare to say that to his Holy Spirit?

No! No! Let us join hands around this crucifix, and say that we will not have it in our homes, our schools, our railroads, our street cars, our steamboats, that we want no canonized saints in this enlightened century. Let us tear down this sign of the Holy Spirit; let us cast out our priests of God and say to them, go out and pray for money to build churches and schools, we want none of them. Shall we drag down this sign east out all it stands for, and go forward confident in our own strength? Will you talk that way to God? Will you dare to say that to his Holy Spirit?

In our homes we find the man, the woman, the man is the head and the woman is his counterpart. The man is the head, but because he is, he must supply a provision for the family. To do this he must have knowledge, strength and wisdom. These are gifts from God. If they were not, we would find them in the child just from its mother's womb. These gifts come with God's Holy Spirit. This Holy Spirit comes to us with our nature. It is a part of all nature, and pervades every part of our being. It enters into every motion of our body. The arm, the eye, the tongue, all move by its power and get strength from Him.

Sherman Gattan, a mail clerk, living at Chicago Junction, Ohio, was brought to Cleveland and Sunday morning from Cincinnati by a county United States marshal and locked up in the county jail charged with robbing the mail.

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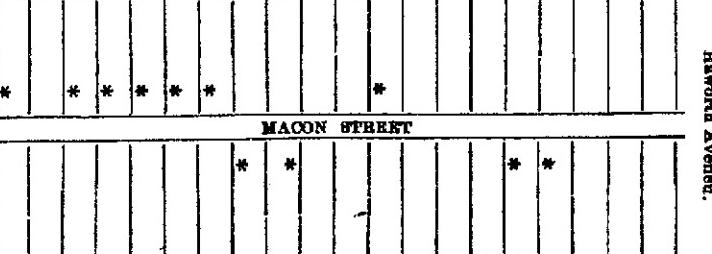
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Macon Street is acknowledged to be one of the best for residences in the city. It is paved with stone and asphalt.

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New York, June 1.—Wheat—No. 2 red winter, \$1.10; July, \$1.07; Aug., \$1.04; Sept., \$1.03; Corn—No. 2 mixed grain, \$30; July, \$28; Aug., \$26; Sept., \$24; Oats—July, \$2.00; Aug., \$1.90; Sept., \$1.80; Barley—July, \$1.70; Aug., \$1.60; Sept., \$1.50; Buckwheat—July, \$1.50; Aug., \$1.40; Sept., \$1.30; Peas—July, \$1.20; Aug., \$1.10; Sept., \$1.00; Beans—July, \$1.00; Aug., \$0.90; Sept., \$0.80; Turnips—July, \$0.50; Aug., \$0.45; Sept., \$0.40; Potatoes—July, \$0.30; Aug., \$0.25; Sept., \$0.20; Cabbages—July, \$0.20; Aug., \$0.18; Sept., \$0.15; Cucumbers—July, \$0.15; Aug., \$0.12; Sept., \$0.10; Tomatoes—July, \$0.10; Aug., \$0.08; Sept., \$0.06; Onions—July, \$0.10; Aug., \$0.08; Sept., \$0.06; Potatoes—July, \$0.10; Aug., \$0.08; Sept., \$0.06; Turnips—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Peas—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Beans—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Cabbage—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Cucumbers—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Tomatoes—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Onions—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Turnips—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Potatoes—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Peas—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Beans—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Cabbage—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Cucumbers—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Tomatoes—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Onions—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Turnips—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Potatoes—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Peas—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Beans—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Cabbage—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Cucumbers—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Tomatoes—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Onions—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Turnips—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Potatoes—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Peas—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Beans—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Cabbage—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Cucumbers—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Tomatoes—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Onions—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Turnips—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Potatoes—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Peas—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Beans—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Cabbage—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Cucumbers—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Tomatoes—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Onions—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Turnips—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Potatoes—July, \$0.05; Aug., \$0.04; Sept., \$0.03; Peas—July

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At other houses when you can save 10 to 20 per cent by trading with

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Call and see what he has to offer. Remember that he sells all goods on a cash basis:

20 Pounds granulated sugar	\$1.00	Peaches	15
Fancy sugar syrup per gallon	55	Michigan dried peaches, four pounds,	25
Best sugar cured hams	12	Fancy Muscatel raisins per lb	10
California Hams	9	Fancy apricots per pound	22
Fancy breakfast bacon	11	Fancy large California prunes	15
Chipped beef per pound	18	Dessicated coconut per pound	20
1 Pound salmon per can	10	Good rice per pound	5
Domestic sardines per can	7	Fancy Gunpowder tea	50
French sardines per can	15	Good table peaches per can	20
Finest California evaporated			

We make a specialty of fine teas and coffees. Fresh fruits and vegetables received every morning.

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333 N. Water Street.

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W. B. CHAPMAN,

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NEW BAKERY.

We will on Tuesday, June 2d open out a First-class Bakery at 158 SOUTH WATER STREET GRAND OPERA HOUSE Block and solicit a share of the Public Patronage. We have by far the best Equipped Bakery in the city. Our machinery and fixtures are all entirely new and the very best that money will buy. We are Both Practical Bakers and will give the People just what they want. Mr. Schubach, who is unquestionably the finest Baker in the city, will give that Department his entire attention. And Mr. Chapman will personally attend to the Bread Department. We will positively guarantee our goods to be the best in the market, and will at all times deliver promptly. Dont fail to give us a trial.

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Wedding and party cakes a specialty.

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GUARDS' ARMORY

On North Water street. You are cordially invited to come and partake of the good things prepared for you and enjoy yourself for a few hours. Admission 10 cents. Come and bring your friends.

MORNING REVIEW

TUESDAY, JUNE 2, 1891.

SOCIETY MEETINGS

MASONIC—Regular convocation of Masonic chapter, No. 21 A. F. & A. M., this Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. All communication in regular standing are invited. Geo. H. Bacon, H. P. N. L. Krome, Secy.

K.—P.—Regular convention Chorale Bayard Lodge No. 189, E. of this (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock at Castle hall, Library block 8 o'clock. Full program is described in our issue of yesterday. D. G. Cloyd, C. C. W., Carter, K. R. & R. S. N. L. Krome, Secy.

I.O.O.F.—Regular meeting of Decatur Lodge No. 65, this (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock at Odd Fellows hall. Visiting brethren cordially invited to meet with us. Thomas Kitchen, N. G. J. N. Martin, Jr., Secy.

MATTERS OF FACT.

Genuine ice cream strawberry crush soda water, only 5 cents, at Irwin's pharmacy. Go to George P. Hart for all kinds of upholstering. Library block.

You will find the best carpets, latest and most desirable styles and lowest prices at Linn & Scruggs' Dry Goods and Carpet Co.

Henry Bros' bakery is the place for a good meal or lunch. Bread delivered to any part of the city.

Genuine strawberry crush ice cream soda, only a nickel, at Irwin's pharmacy.

Three good upright pianos for rent or sale at low prices on easy terms at Precht's.

The chocolate ice cream soda at Irwin's pharmacy is very delicious.

Look out for the bargains, within the next few days, that have been purchased by our Mr. Morris, who is still in the Eastern markets, and will be placed on sale here.

Twenty pounds granulated, 22 pounds extra C sugar for \$1 at Henry Flynn's.

Call at Biely's Headquarters and see the new light Ramblers built especially for ladies. Tangent spokes, cushioned tire, ram's horn handle bars, only \$12. It is a beauty.

If you want the best ham or breakfast bacon you ever used, try the Kansas City "Gold Band," for sale only by Henry Flynn, corner Eldorado and Broadway.

You can see all the latest styles in summer millinery at Miss Emma Williams' millinery parlor on South Park street.

You are invited to call and see my summer millinery. Miss Emma Williams, South Park street.

Pure raspberry vinegar, something very fine, for sale by Henry Flynn, corner East Eldorado and Broadway.

A great reduction sale of trimmed millinery at cost this and next week at the new millinery store, in Casner block, opposite the post office.

Wood pumps, chain pumps, iron force pumps, for sale at The Spencer & Lehman Co.'s.

All the latest shades in Mousquetaire Suede gloves at Linn & Scruggs D. G. & Co. Co.

Plenty of green goods at the Economy grocery.

Look out for the bargains within the next few days, that have been purchased by Mr. Morris, of the Linn & Scruggs D. G. & Co., who is still in the eastern markets.

Buy your wall paper and window shades of Blank & Grass. Best assortment, lowest prices.

Come and see our buggies, surreys, phaetons, spring wagons and road carts—the best made and cheapest in town.

THE SPENCER & LEHMAN CO.,
South Main and Wood streets.

Schuchman's electric fire and burglar alarm is acknowledged by all to be the best and only effective device of its kind on the market. It is simple in construction and easily kept in working order. Guaranteed for one year. Sample on exhibition at Knead's grocery store. Agents for Decatur, L. G. White, 945 North Clayton, and George Stark, 250 South Broadway. Absolute protection. Investigate.

A complete assortment of "Centimer" Suede gloves in all lengths and shades. Also silk mitts in evening shade in any length. Kid gloves purchased of us will be fitted to the hand if desired and skillfully refined if needed, free of charge.

Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co.

We guarantee our Rice Coll Spring Vehicles to be the easiest riding made in the world. If after six weeks' trial the Rice Coll Spring is not found to be the easiest riding spring you ever used, we will exchange for any other style.

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Cheap Reading.

The complete Seaside library, 1,900 volumes, the only full library kept in Decatur. For sale at Saxon & Andrews.

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You can get choice ice cream and the best bread in the city at Eiseman's bakery. Fine pies and cakes a specialty.

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If you want the best and most stylish millinery in the city, trade with Howe & Hardin, north Park street.

100 New Gift Books.

Handsome bindings, at the low price of 75¢ each, just received at Saxon & Andrews book store.

All Kinds of Flower Plants.

Now is the time to get your flowers. Order of N. Bonniersbach, 709 Spring avenue.

Universalist Church

Two impressive sermons were delivered last Sunday by Rev. Sophie Gibb. The evening sermon was on "The Relation of Morality to Religion." It was an earnest plea for devoting more time to the cultivation of the spiritual nature. The reply of Jesus to the young man seeking to inherit eternal life, was quoted with especial emphasis on the final clause. "Sell that thou hast and give to the poor and come and follow Me." Business and social matters should not be allowed to interfere with the development of the higher nature. Time should be given to the cultivation of love, friendship, sympathy; by faith, worship and prayer, true and sincere, though unuttered, the religious element may be greatly strengthened. Morality bears the same relation to religion that most of the plants bear to the flower. Morality is the foundation upon which we stand. Religion furnishes wings by which we may soar.

Owing to her need of rest it is doubtful about Mrs. Gibb being able to preach but a few more sermons in this place.

Coming to Decatur.

Bloomington Bulletin.

One of the most prominent weddings to occur in June is that of D. A. Orobough, a prominent attorney of Watsoku, Ill., and Miss Lillian E. Wiley, of this city. The bride to be is an accomplished musician and a teacher in the public schools, and is a very charming and intelligent young lady. The groom to be is the son of Sheriff Orobough, of Iroquois county, and a graduate of the Wesleyan law school. They will reside in Decatur.

Charitable Union Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Industrial and Charitable Union will be held at the Woman's Club house this morning at 10 o'clock. The elevator will be running. The semi-annual report of the work of the union will be given. The attendance of all members and others interested in the work is especially desired.

The Syndicate.

The stockholders in the syndicate met last night at the office of LeFurge & Son and considered plans for the building. Three or four plans were submitted, but two or three other architects signified a desire to submit designs that were not quite ready, so an adjournment was taken till next Thursday night.

Married at Sullivan.

Douglas McDonald, engineer at the knitting factory, and Mrs. Kittie Waddell were married Sunday at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Lou Sayre, at Sullivan. The wedding was a very quiet one. Mr. and Mrs. McDonald arrived in Decatur yesterday morning.

The Home Open.

The Anna B. Mullin house was opened yesterday with Mrs. Hamilton in charge. The Industrial school will be conducted in the home for the present. The home needs a great many things. This is a worthy charity and should be supported by the people.

Opened.

A big crowd was at the public library yesterday morning when it was reopened at 9 o'clock, after the annual house cleaning. The new books were generally called for, and most of them were taken out at once.

Marriage Licenses.

Frederick L. Williams, Decatur 24
Malissa T. Schutt, Decatur 20
William L. Laundry, Boddy 23
Josephine Nicolet, Boddy 19

Keep Your Features in Front When You Read.

Three hundred pairs ladies' Dongola button shoes made on wide and comfortable lasts and worth \$2.

They must be sold at \$1.25. The Ferriss & Lapham Shoe Store, 148 East Main street.

Take Notice Saloonkeepers.

Decatur, Macon county, and state of Illinois.

We the undersigned hereby notify all saloon keepers in the city of Decatur not to sell or give any intoxicating liquors to Walker Simpson, and not to allow him to loaf around saloons.

WALTERS S. SIMPSON.

MARY SIMPSON.

GEO. W. SIMPSON.

Dated this first day of June, 1891.

Summer School of Business.

All who plan to study bookkeeping, penmanship, shorthand or other business branches during the summer, are requested to call at once at Decatur Business college or write for the hand book.

E. P. IRVING, Prin.

Restaurant and Ice Cream Parlor.

B. F. Hoover has opened a restaurant and ice cream parlor on North Park street, first door east of G. W. Powers' shoe store. Day boarders taken at reasonable rates.

Make Your Wife Happy.

your residence attractive and rooms cool and comfortable by having Chamberlain & Co. put up awnings to your windows. Call and see them in Library block.

150 Girl Books.

Rich bindings, just the thing for graduating presents. Used to be sold for \$1.50 each, the price now is only 60 cents. A rare collection at Saxon & Andrews book store.

Choice Gift Books.

All the poets. Illustrated books in elegant bindings, just the thing for graduating presents, the best assortment in the city at Saxon & Andrews.

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FINE SACK SUITS

ELEGANT SPRING

Overcoats.

Fashionable TROUSERS.

Thousands of Boys and Children's SUITS.

FINE HATS.

DRESS SHIRTS

Spare a few minutes of your time and

step into our store. We would be pleased

to show you our monster stock of new spring

goods. The variety of fine cutaway and

sack suits, spring overcoats, trousers, boys,

and children's suits, hats and furnishing

goods is truly enormous, eight floors full.

Our line contains everything that is new

and desirable, and the fit and style of the

garment outrank any thing ever produced

in this line; and you will be well repaid for

your time and trouble when you purchase

our extremely low prices.

CHEAP CHARLEY'S MAMMOTH CLOTHING HOUSE,

Corner Merchant and Main Streets.



DON'T STIR

until you realize that if you go further you will certainly fare worse. You may not yield readily to persuasion, but you will find it difficult to resist the evidence of your own eyes. It does not take an expert to discover what is palpable to the most casual observer. Men who have hitherto worn nothing but custom made clothing are beginning to find out that they can step into one of our ready made suits and be just as well dressed as though they paid fancy prices for their attire. At unpopular prices nothing can be popular. For moderate means there must be moderate prices. It won't strain your pocketbook.

Our Assortment is Still very Complete with a Choice Lot of Men's and Boys' Clothing that are Properly got up. Tailor Made.

All Garments Altered to fit Free of Charge.

OTTENHEIMER & CO.

Decatur's Leading One-Price Clothiers.

THE HATFIELD MILLING CO.
Manufacture the Celebrated
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For sale by all leading grocers. None better in the market. All kinds of mill feed. Highest Market price paid for wheat.

A CORDIAL INVITATION

To Everybody to attend our

GREAT CHEAP SALE

new and beautiful wash dress goods in plaid, stripe, polka dots, mouseion, gingham, etc. A wide variety in great variety. Black, white, plain, plaid, hemstitched, embroidered mulls, summer eshabme, Naumburg drapery, etc. At 75¢, at 12½¢, at 16¢ and up. Not much more than hair regular price. Come and get them as they will go quick.

J. Hatch & Son.
May 15, 1891. 143 E. Main st.

Boston Store,
143 North Water Street



Black Lawns and Black Organzies in lace stripes, lace checks, plain stripes, plain checks and plaids, in all prices, from 10 cents a yard up. All our black goods are guaranteed fast colors.

We have a very complete assortment and our customers say our prices are the lowest.

We have also a very nice linen finished Black Lawn with a white polka dot—very desirable.

Fans for the warm weather. Jap folding, gauze feather and satin fans, all styles and prices.

Parasols.—Our Como Silk is the best. Silk Mohair filling will not crack or change color with either sun or rain. Prices as low as a good article can be sold for.

**BOSTON STORE,
JAMES G. WALKER & Co**

MORNING REVIEW

TUESDAY, JUNE 3, 1891.

MATTERS OF FACT.

Smoke the new Little Rose cigar. Our Favorite Quartet in pleasing songs every evening at Oakland park.

Can you afford Ox Fords When you can get them for 50c. at Power's.

When you want your shoes repaired go and see John McAllister in Perl building.

Children and misses kid gloves in tan, brown, mode and slate, at Linn & Scruggs D. G. & C. Co.

Exursion from Mattoon to Peoria Sunday, June 7th, over the Peoria, Decatur & Evansville railroad. Fair round trip from Decatur, \$1.

Have you tried those nice new cherries at the Economy grocery?

Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet company are the celebrated Centimer kid gloves, the best fitting, the best wearing, handsomest and cheapest kid gloves in the world.

John McAllister will repair your shoes on short notice. Give him a trial. Tabernacle building.

New Blaritz gloves in tan, modes, grey brown and English tan at Linn & Scruggs D. G. & C. Co.

Come and see our buggies, surreys, phaetons, spring wagons and road carts—the best made and cheapest in town. The Spencer & Lehman Co., South Main and Wood streets.

"Centimer" kid gloves in all the new spring shades and black. Perfection of fit and wear guaranteed at Linn & Scruggs' D. G. & C. Co.

Ladies desiring choice millinery should inspect the line of elegant new goods now displayed at "The Elite" millinery store, 250 North Park street, L. B. Wilcox, manager.

Prof. William S. Nees, teacher of violin, cornet and piano. For terms write or call at 272 West Main street.

SIDEWALKS GALORE.

An ordinance was read for the construction of several sidewalks in the city. Rule 15 was suspended and then the ordinance was passed. The ordinance provides for the following sidewalks:

North side of East Green, North Main to North Water; west side of Condit, North Water to Clinton; west side of Clayton, Orchard to Condit; east side of Calhoun, Herkimer to Edmund; north side of Herkimer Calhoun to Railroad avenue; east side of Clinton, Sangamon to Herkimer; north side of Orchard, Clinton to Broadway; west side of North Main, Packard to

Wind Street at Lincoln.

A violent wind storm, accompanied by a heavy rain, visited Lincoln yesterday afternoon, the wind doing considerable damage. A livery stable was demolished and trees, awnings and chimneys were blown down and carried away. The storm lasted for about a half hour and was the most severe that ever visited the locality. There was no loss of life.

A QUIET MEETING. MUCH BUSINESS AND LITTLE NOISE LAST NIGHT.

Some Reports—Prarie Avenue's Asphalt Laid Over—A Saloon License Granted—More Hydrants—We Don't Need a Commissioner—Sidewalks for All—Police Apartments Not Yet Confirmed.

It was 15 minutes after 8 o'clock when the council was called to order. Everybody was present, Prairie avenue society and asphalt pavement boomers being represented by Frank Pratt and Orville Gorle. Gorle talked to the different aldermen and Frank told the outsiders how his side had been. Frank and Orville make a great tandem team and we recommend them to anyone who wants diplomas in his business. They come high but you must have them if you expect to get ahead in this world.

Marshal Mason planted himself in the chair usually occupied by Attorney McDonald when catching breath between speeches on the pressing questions of the day. The marshal fills the chair in a very decorous way, but Ed went out and got himself a camp stool. When he heard him off the marshals look like window sashes in a vacuum house.

The minutes as read were approved.

Petitioners on West Macon street, between Haworth and Oakland avenues, asked that water main be extended. It was referred.

The appointment of J. C. Owen and Joseph Mann as special police was asked.

Referred to the mayor.

ASPHALT PAVEMENT

On West Prairie street was the next thing asked for in a petition representing 3,237 feet frontage. Over 800 feet of frontage said it would not oppose.

Montgomery moved that that the prayer of the petition be granted.

Scanlan—I don't know that I am ready to vote on this question. The matter should have more investigation. Personally I would like to see an asphalt pavement. As there should be many conditions in the ordinance the matter ought to be referred to the public improvement committee. This action is hasty. If the people who want it are in a majority they should have the pavement. I want to learn more about the pavement. I move as a substitute that the matter be referred to public improvement committee with instructions to report at next meeting. Carried, 10 to 4.

MARSHAL'S REPORT

of arrests for May was: Intoxication, 12; disorderly conduct, 4; house of ill fame, 8; indecent and dissolute person, 1; allowing animals to run on boulevards, 2; assault, 2; discharging fire arms, 1; obscene language, 2; inmates house of ill fame, 3; forgery, 1; robbery, 2; peace warrant, 1; vagrancy, 9. Total arrests, 45; fines assessed \$180; fines collected \$164.65.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Receipts for May, \$1,366.63; warrants paid, \$14,827.39; balance on hand, \$5,102.85.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

for the year was read in detail, just to let the aldermen know what good books and diligent readers are in the midst of us. The aldermen did not pay enough attention to be edified. The report showed:

Books in library, 9,340; books received during the year, 713; books loaned, 63,079; visitors to reading room, 43,899. The room is supplied with 70 papers and periodicals.

The reports of the different justices were read and referred to the city attorney.

WATER WORKS

report for May shows: Gallons pumped 55,000,000; coal used for pumping 120 tons; coal used for electric light 80 tons; run electric light 170 hours.

The petition of the ladies of the Woman's Industrial and Charitable Union, asking that the city make connections with the Anna B. Millikin home and water mains and sewers, was granted.

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

made his report for May. It showed an expenditure of \$994.46 for labor and teaming.

The claim of Susan S. Boyd for \$205.93 on account of extension of Johns street was allowed.

O. K. THE BILLS.

While the clerk was reading bills against the city it was found that some were not marked O. K. Scanlan moved that bills not receive no attention unless O. K'd by the chairman of some committee, or the head of some department, or by the purchasing committee. It was carried. Hereafter we will see that the proper person O. K's your bill, or you get no money.

On motion of Peti the city officers are to be paid at last year's rates until the council fixes the salaries.

P. H. Collins was granted a license to sell liquor at 561 North Morgan street.

Joe Wiesen asked that the license of P. W. Clancy be transferred to him. It was done.

Residents on East Prairie street asked for a water main between Broadway and Franklin streets, for fire protection. Referred.

EAST ELDERDO STREET.

The ordinance to pave this street was put on its passage and carried. The vote was 11 to 3. May, Montgomery and Perl voting nay.

The cost of constructing the lateral sewer on Bradford street was estimated at \$1,395; costs \$1,150; total \$1,545.

The city attorney was instructed to bring suits for different sewer improvements.

By Ferguson—Resolved that 10 water plugs or hydrants be purchased for use this coming season. It was adopted.

The master of creating the office of city controller was reported as a matter that should be postponed indefinitely. It was referred to the ordinance committee without any instructions. It is dead.

SHRINKING THE STREETS.

A resolution was introduced asking that water sprinklers be allowed to take water from public hydrants free of charge.

Scanlan said that the men who take the water should be required to give a bond to take good care of the plugs. May did not think it would do to make the water free to everybody; it would result in confusion.

The mayor doubted the advisability of letting everybody use the hydrants. It would keep them out of order. The matter was finally referred to the water committee.

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STAID AT HOME.

The Judicial election was one way with a Rush—Vail, Wright and Bookwalter Have Thousands of Votes to Spare—Graham did pretty well, Considering the Vote—Smith and Hughes Nowhere.

Returns from the judicial election in the fourth district are very incomplete. Still, they show that Vail, Wright and Bookwalter are elected by big majorities. Some estimates put the majority at 2,000. If the figures received last night are correct and the election went as they indicated, the result cannot be far from that figure. Still great changes may be made. It appears that the republicans were out and at work. The democrats were not. Graham comes next to the regular republican ticket. Smith and Hughes ran well, for independents, but not as well as they were expected. In Douglas county it was thought they would have an overwhelming majority, but they only carried it by 400 to 500.

In Macon county the democrats did handsomely by judge Vail. They did better, in fact, by him than they did by Graham. Without returns from Austin, Milan and Whitmore, Vail carried the county by 1,238 over Graham and by 815 over Wright, the next highest republican.

In Decatur, Vail carried every precinct but one—the first. His vote was 873 more than Graham's, and 553 more than Bookwalter, the next republican.

	Bookwalter	Vail	Wright	Graham
First	64	53	24	45
Second	57	46	26	51
Third	51	35	25	37
Fourth	94	88	72	60
Fifth	41	36	215	101
Sixth	73	41	45	136
Seventh	100	61	51	130
Eighth	110	61	51	130
Ninth				